

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Mary Lynne Hedley et al.                      Art Unit : 1633  
Serial No. : 10/758,970                                      Examiner : Ileana Popa  
Filed : January 16, 2004                                      Conf. No. : 6224  
Title : CONTINUOUS-FLOW METHOD FOR PREPARING MICROPARTICLES

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Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated August 24, 2007, be extended for three months to and including February 25, 2008 (February 24, 2007 being a weekend).

The required fee in the amount of \$525 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 08191-012002.

Respectfully submitted,

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